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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 1769.

LONDON, January 28.

It is said that the Instructions agreed upon on Thursday, to be given to the Representatives of the City of Westminster, are so reasonable framed to every Inhabitant there, for their Approbation; which is to be expressed by the signing their Names to the Instructions.

A Person is at this Time employed to find out such of the Creditors of John Wilkes, as are in low Circumstances, to whom he pays 20s. in the Pound, with legal Interest, since the Debts became due respectively.

A great Harbinger remarked, upon hearing an elegant State Carriage was now building, intended for a Present to Mr. Wilkes, that it was like giving a Man a Pair of Boots to wear, after his Legs were cut off.

We hear that a celebrated Speech, made a few Days ago, was so extremely pathetic, as to draw Tears from several of the Hearers.

It is said a Lady is just arrived in England, from France, where she was carried by her Husband, a Man of considerable Fortune, 25 Years ago, and by him confined in a Convent, where she was used with great Severity, but from whence she has lately found Means to make her Escape, and intends to apply for Justice to her Husband, who has been married to another this 8 Years.

They write from Vienna, of January 7, that Orders had just been issued for a very considerable Body of Austrian Troops, to be ready to take the Field by the Middle of March next, though it was given out those Troops are only intended to form Two Armies of Observation.

Jan. 31. It is said, That by a Clause in a late Will, no Part whatever of the deceased's Effects can in any Case, either now or hereafter, devolve to a certain popular Gentleman.

It is said, that a young Lady, possessed of every external Beauty, and of a Mind also stored with every internal Embellishment, gave the following remarkable Instance of her filial Affection. Upon her being informed a large Fortune, the Bequest of a near Relation, would come to her on attaining the Age of 21, she exclaimed, "Would to GOD the Period was now arrived, that I might be able to assist my injured Father!"

The Hague Gazette of Jan. 20, under the Head London, Jan. 13, has the following Article: "The Count de Czernichew, Ambassador from the Court of Petersburg, hath, from Time to Time, Conferences with the King's Ministers, which, we have Reason to believe, are relative to the approaching War between Russia and the Porte. We cannot fay with Certainty, whether, or in what Manner, Great-Britain will furnish Succours to the former of those Powers."

They write from Leghorn, that Three of Paoli's Corsairs had fallen in with a new 36 Gun Frigate, built at Genoa, on her Passage to Toulon, manned by Genoese Sailors, which the Corsicans made Prize of, and had carried her safe into Port.

It is now confidently reported, that the Fleet sitting out for the Mediterranean, is to proceed farther up, and to bombard a certain Capital City, at no very great Distance from another Strait, famed for the Story of Two Lovers, celebrated in Poetical Tale. This, as we are told, is at the Requisition of a certain Power, in Alliance with Great-Britain.

Feb. 2. Some Letters from Algiers mention, that the Consul of a certain Power, labours hard to perfuade the Dey and Regency to a Rupture with the Corsicans, and to send a Number of his Corsairs to cruize on the Coasts of that Island.

By the last Letters from Jamaica, we are informed, that the Governor of the Havanna had received a positive Order from Old-Spain, not to discharge any of the foreign Shipwrights employed therein, on any Condition whatever; to intent are they to complete their Naval Forces, to be in Readiness to act on the first Emergency.

It is remarkable, that Two Gentlemen, Brothers and North-Britons, gave their Approbation, on a late Occasion, in Favour of a very popular Person.

Feb. 9. The following is said to be an authentic Extract from a Letter of a Great Man Abroad, to a Man of Distinction herein England: "I am here a voluntary Exile for the Cause of my Country; would it not have been better, if our greatest Opponent had continued so too, for the Cause of his Country?"

We hear that Two particular Gentlemen have received Penfions each, one of 3000l. the other 1200l. per Annum.

Feb. 9. We are told by Letters from Poland, that the Preparations making by the Ruffians and Turks, for the Campaign, portend a great Effusion of Blood. The Court of Ruffia, if they should be wanted, will bring 300,000 Men into the Field, and the Turks propose to attack them on all Sides; but in Proportion as they strip their Provinces, Troops will arise there, of which the Ruffians will [illegible]

By the Accounts of the East-India [illegible]

A great Number of Persons have been [illegible] Mint, which [illegible]

A great Body of Troops [illegible] Storm, a Measure to the British Cabinet, which should astonish all Europe.

We are informed that a great Number of Freeholders of the County of Middlesex, Gentlemen of independent Fortunes, are come to a Resolution of subscribing 500l. each, for the Support of Mr. Wilkes in his Election, and to enable him to go through his other Profecutions.

In the general Opinion, this the last Address of a certain popular Gentleman, will be deemed a Libel.

Extract of a Letter from Rome, Jan. 7, 1769.

"This Day Lord B—, under the Name of Stuart, with his Son and Two other Gentlemen, arrived here. He was met by Four of his Countrymen, who belong to the Pretender's Court; and who had been sent there to attend his Arrival."

CORK, *Jan.* 5. The Silence observed by France, in not publishing the leak Account of the Embarkation of Troops, from her Ports, to the West-Indies, Africa, &c. of late, is very remarkable, and particularly as several Transports were loft in the Bay of Biscay, on board of which, it is said, there were 1200 Men, being Part of a much greater Number, bound for Martinico and Guadaloup.

A COPY of a LETTER supposed to be written by a Secretary of State to Daniel Ponton, Esq; Chairman of the Quarter-Sessions at Lambeth, April 17, 1768, with Mr. Wilkes's prefatory Remarks, as published in the St. James's Chronicle, Dec. 16, 1768.

Mr. BALDWIN,

I SEND you the following authentic State-Paper, the Date of which, prior more than Three Weeks to the fatal 10th of May, proves how long the horrid Massacre in St: George's-Fields, had been planned and determined upon before it was carried into Execution, and how long a bellish Project can be brooded over by some infernal Spirits, without one Moment's Remorse.

SIR,

HAVING already signified the King's Pleasure to the Lord Lieutenant of the County in which you reside, with Regard to the Measures to be taken in general for preserving the Peace, at a Time so very riotous, a Disposition has discovered itself among the common People, I make no Doubt but either some Steps have, or will immediately be taken, by him or that Head; and I take it for granted, that, as Chairman of the Sessions, you will meet the Gentlemen who act in the Commission of the Peace for the Borough of Southwark and East Hundred of Brixton, to consult together, and fix upon some Plan, for securing the public Tranquility against any Mischiefs that may happen, should the same indecent Spirit of Tumult and Disorder, which has appeared in the City and Liberties of Westminster, spread itself in those Parts which are within the Line of your Duty. And, tho' I am perfuaded it is unnecessary to suggest to you, or the Gentlemen who will meet you, any Part of your Duty on such an Occasion, yet, after the recent alarming Instances of Riot and Confusion, I cannot help apprising you, that much will depend upon the preventive Measures you shall, in Conjunction with the other Gentlemen in the Commission of the Peace, take on your Meeting; and much is expected from the Vigilance and Activity, with which such Measures will be carried into Execution, when I inform you, that every possible Precaution is taken to support the Dignity of your Office; That upon Application from the Civil Magistrate at the Tower, the Savoy, or the War-Office, he will find a Military Force ready to march to his Assistance, and to act according as he shall find it expedient and necessary. I need not add, that if the Public Peace is not preserved, and if any riotous Proceedings, which may happen, are not suppressed, the Blame will most probably be imputed to a Want of prudent and spirited Conduct in the Civil Magistrate. As I have no Reason to doubt your Caution and Discretion, in not calling for Troops until they are wanted, so, on the other Hand, I hope you will not delay a Moment calling for their Aid, and making Use of them effectually, when there is Occasion. That Occasion always presents itself when the Civil Power is trifled with, and insulted; nor can a Military Force ever be employed to a more constitutional Purpose, than in the Support of the Authority and Dignity of Magistracy.

I am, &c.

P. S. I have for the greater Caution, sent Copies of this Letter to the Members for the Borough, and Mr. Pownal. If you should have received no Direction from Lord Outlaw for a Meeting, you will consider this as a sufficient Authority for that Purpose.

To the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of MIDDLESEX.

GENTLEMEN,

I HOLD myself accountable to you for every Action of my Life, which respects the Public. I desire to stand, or fall, by your Love and unbiassed Judgment. I wish to be directed by your Counsel and Instruction in all Matters of Importance. It is my great Ambition to shew myself, who spoke unworthy of the Choice you have made of me as your Representative, nor of your Favour, when at the late worthy Election, Mr. Glynn, being the Colleague of that worthy Patriot, Mr. Oliver, I had the Honour to be returned with him. I thank you for having joined with me in the Address which I presented to you on the earliest Opportunity, Gentlemen, of being favoured with your Sentiments.

From the earliest Opportunity, Gentlemen, of being favoured with your Sentiments. I caused to be published in the Public Papers, [illegible] Justice Ponton, with some prefatory Remarks. I avow the Publication of both. I will go further, and declare, that I first, several Months ago, transmitted to the Press the Letter of the Secretary at War, dated May the 11th, returning Thanks, in the King's Name, to the Officers and Soldiers of the Third Regiment of Guards, for the rank and foul Murders committed in these Fields, on the 10th of that Month. My Hand trembled while I copied what I blushed to read, and I gave it to the Public, in the only Way my present Situation could admit, with the Hope of promoting a Parliamentary Enquiry into that Bloody Transaction, which, I trust, this Second Publication will now accomplish, and, because, I think, this free Nation has a Right to be fully informed of the Conduct of Administration, in so important a Concern, as the Loss of the Lives of many Subjects.

Administration complains of me for having published the Letter of the Secretary of State. I complain to the Nation that such a Letter has been written: This is not a Letter on any personal Business or Pleasure; I would have scorned to have published any such. This Letter was from a Secretary of State, to the Chairman of the Quarter-Sessions at Lambeth, and is written in Characters of Blood. It affects deeply the Constitution of this Country, and every Man in our Island. I will at present leave it to the honest Indignation of every Englishman. I shall now only add, that if I have not given to the Public, a most accurate and faithful Copy, I ask Pardon of the Secretary of State. If I have, then I will say, that for the innocent Blood of our Countrymen spilt in Consequence of that Letter, the Writer ought to ask Forgiveness of GOD and his Country, and pass the Remainder of his Life in Penitence and Tears.

I am, with great Deference and Esteem,

GENTLEMEN,

your faithful and obedient humble Servant,

KING's-BENCH Prison, JOHN WILKES.

Saturday, Dec. 17, 1768.

The above State Paper occasioned the following Resolves.

Veneris 17, Die Decembris, 1768.

A Message from the Lords, by Mr. Harris and Mr. Cuddon; that the Lords do desire a present Conference with this House, in the painted Chamber, touching a Matter highly concerning the Peace and good Order, as well as the Dignity of his Majesty's Government. And then the Messengers withdrew.

Resolved, That this House doth agree to a present Conference with the Lords, as is desired by their Lordships. And the Messengers were again called in. And Mr. Speaker acquainted them, that this House had considered their Message, and did agree to meet the Lords, at a present Conference, as their Lordships do desire. And then the Messengers again withdrew.

Ordered, That a Committee be appointed, to manage the said Conference. And a Committee was appointed accordingly. And the Names of the Managers were called over; and they went to the Conference. And being returned; the Lord North reported the Conference; and that it was, to acquaint this House, that the Lords, having taken into Consideration the Contents of a News-Paper, intituled, "The St. James's Chronicle, or the British Evening Post, from Thursday, December the 8th, to Saturday, December the 10th, 1768," their Lordships had come to the following Resolution, viz.

Resolved, By the Lords Spiritual and Temporal——in Parliament assembled, that the Introduction to the Copy of a Letter, addressed to Daniel Ponton, Esquire, Chairman of the Quarter-Sessions at Lambeth, and dated St. James's, the 17th April, 1768, contained in a certain News-Paper, entitled, "The St. James's Chro-"nicle, or the British Evening Post, from Thursday "December 8th, to Saturday December 10th, 1768, "printed by Henry Baldwin, at the Britannia Print-"ing-Office, No. 108, Fleet-Street," is an infolent, scandalous, and seditious Libel, tending to inflame and stir up the Minds of his Majesty's Subjects to Sedition, and to a total Subversion of all good Order and legal Government. Which Resolution, together with the said News-Paper, their Lordships had directed to be communicated to this House, and desire the Concurrence of this House to the said Resolution. And that the Conference was also to acquaint this House with what had appeared, by Evidence given at their Lordships Bar upon Oath, touching the said Libel being sent to the Press; and with the Names of the Persons examined with Respect to that Matter. And likewise to communicate to this House certain Manuscripts, produced to their Lordships by one of the said Witnesses. And the said Report and Part of the said News-Paper, and the said Manuscripts, were read.—And the said Resolution being read a Second Time——

Ordered, That the said Report be taken into further Consideration on Monday Morning next.

Ordered, That Henry Baldwin and John Swan do attend this House at the same Time.

Lunæ, 19. Die Decembris, 1768.

THE House (according to Order) proceeded to take into further Consideration the Report of the Conference held on Friday last with the Lords. And the House being informed, that Henry Baldwin and John Swan attending in Obedience to Order; the said Henry Baldwin was called in; and the printed News-Papers, intitled, "The St. James's Chronicle, or the British Evening "Post, from Thursday December the 8th, to Saturday "December the 10th, 1768, printed by Henry Bald-

" win, at the Britannia Printing-Office, No. 108, " Fleet-Street," and alſo the Manuſcripts delivered by the Lords at the ſaid Conference, being ſhewn to him at the Bar, he acknowledged that he printed the ſaid News-Paper; and ſaid, that the Manuſcripts were brought to him, by John Swan, on the Morning of the Publication, who told him, that he had them from John Wilkes, Eſq; and that the ſaid Henry Baldwin believes the ſaid Manuſcripts are of the Hand writing of the ſaid Mr. Wilkes.

And the ſaid Henry Baldwin having, in the Courſe of his Examination, mentioned, that he had been examined at the Bar of the ſaid Houſe the laſt Week on this Subject, he was aſked what paſſed on that Occaſion. And then he was directed to withdraw. And a Motion being made, and the Queſtion being put, that the ſaid Henry Baldwin be aſked what paſſed on that Occaſion; It paſſed in the Negative. Then the ſaid Henry Baldwin was again called in, and further examined. And then he was again directed to withdraw. Then the ſaid John Swan was called in; and, at the Bar, being ſhewn the ſaid News-Paper and Manuſcripts, he ſaid, that he brought the Manuſcripts from Mr. Wilkes, on the Saturday it was publiſhed, who deſired it might be inſerted that Night; and further ſaid, that the Manuſcripts are of the ſaid Mr. Wilkes's Hand-writing. And then he was directed to withdraw.

Ordered, That the further Conſideration of the ſaid Report of the Conference with the Lords be adjourned 'til Friday the 27th Day of January next. Notice being taken, that John Wilkes, Eſq; a Member of this Houſe, is charged, by the Evidence given this Day at the Bar of this Houſe, with being the Author and Publiſher of the Introduction of the Copy of a Letter addreſſed to Daniel Ponton, Eſq; Chairman of the Quarter-Seſſions at Lambeth, and dated, St. James's the 17th April, 1768, contained in a certain News-Paper, entitled, " The St. James's Chronicle, or Britiſh " Evening Poſt, from Thurſday December the 8th, to " Saturday December the 10th, 1768, printed by " Henry Baldwin, at the Britannia Printing-Office, " No. 108, Fleet-Street," which Paper was communicated to this Houſe, at a Conference with the Lords upon Friday laſt;

Ordered, That the Matter of the ſaid Charge againſt the ſaid John Wilkes, Eſq; be heard, at the Bar of this Houſe, upon Friday the 27th Day of January next.

Ordered, That Notice be ſent to the ſaid John Wilkes, Eſq; of the Matter of the ſaid Charge, and of the Time when the ſame is ordered to be heard at the Bar of this Houſe; and that a Copy of the ſaid Letter, and of the ſaid Introduction be alſo ſent to the ſaid Mr. Wilkes.

Ordered, That the Marſhal of the King's-Bench Priſon do bring the ſaid John Wilkes, Eſq; in Cuſtody, to the Bar of this Houſe, upon Friday the 27th Day of January next, to anſwer the Matter of the ſaid Charge, if the ſaid Mr. Wilkes ſhall ſignify his Deſire to the ſaid Marſhal, to be brought up.

BOSTON, *March* 27.

In our laſt were publiſhed a Number of RESOLVES *of the Right Honourable the Houſe of Lords, relative to American Affairs:——The following, we hear, were alſo propoſed at the ſame Time, but not then agreed to by the Houſe, viz.*

Reſolved, That it appears that the Council for ſaid Province, of Maſſachuſetts-Bay, not only refuſed to give their Aſſiſtance to his Majeſty's Governor, for ſuppreſſing the Riots and Tumults, and for ſupporting the Civil Power in the Execution of the Law, although repeatedly called upon ſo to do, but did, at a Time, when the Town was in ſuch a State of Diſobedience to lawful Authority, and when the Officers of the Revenue were compelled to ſeek Shelter from the Fury of the People, on board one of his Majeſty's Ships of War, concur and join with the Houſe of Repreſentatives, in a Reſolution to enquire into the Grounds and Reaſons of the People's Apprehenſions, that Meaſures had been taken, or were taking, for the Execution of the late Revenue Acts of Parliament, by a Naval or Military Force.

Reſolved, That it appears that the Council, for the Province of the Maſſachuſetts-Bay, did, at a Time when it was evident, that the Commiſſioners of his Majeſty's Cuſtoms, could not ſafely reſume their Functions in the Town of Boſton, not only decline to propoſe to adviſe any Meaſures for giving them ſuch Protection, but did on the Contrary, adviſe the Governor, not to accept an Offer from General Gage, to ſend Troops, and did declare, that if any Perſon had made Application for Troops, to come thither, they deemed them, in the higheſt Degree, unfriendly to the Peace and good Order of that Government, as well as to his Majeſty's Service, and the Britiſh Intereſt in America.

A Letter from Mr. D——t mentions, that Colonel Dalrymple had wrote to the Miniſtry, much in Favour of this Province.

The Proſecutions, which have been for ſome Time carried on, in the Court of Admiralty here, againſt John Hancock, Eſq; Captain Malcolm, and ſome other Gentlemen of this Town, we hear, were laſt Week dropt by the Council for the Crown.

Friday laſt arrived here from England, Capt. Lindſey, in the Halifax Packet armed Schooner, with Diſpatches for the Governor, Commodore Hood, General Gage, General Mackay, and the Hon. the Commiſſioners of the Cuſtoms.

NEW-YORK, *April* 3.

Letters from Detroit of the 24th of February, ſay, " The Indians are ſeemingly diſcontented, and intend doing Miſchief, but I am far from thinking it will be ſo general and ſevere as in the Year 1763."

April 10. Capt. Webley, who arrived here laſt Friday from Madeira, on his Paſſage, ſpoke with a Brig from Cork, for the Weſt-Indies, who told him, that an Embargo had been laid on all Veſſels at Cork, about the Middle of February, thought to be with a Deſign to prevent the French getting a Supply of Proviſions from thence;——that the Veſſel having been loaded and cleared, had ſtop was already, and that a Report prevailed in Cork, that vaſt Preparations were making in England, for doing out a Fleet.

We are aſſured, that during the ſitting of the General Aſſembly of this Province, laſt Week, a Motion was made, for keeping open Doors during the preſent Seſſion; which was carried in the Affirmative;—and that another Motion was made, for Leave to bring in a Bill for emitting a Paper Currency, to be let out on Loan, which was agreed to, and a Bill ordered to be brought in accordingly.——And every Well-wiſher to this Country, muſt hope it may; as that is one of the moſt probable Means to revive the ſinking Trade of the Inhabitants in theſe dreary Times.

ANNAPOLIS, *April* 27.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in New-York, *to his Friend in* Maryland.

" By a Veſſel juſt arrived, we have Intelligence of a very hot Preſs, and that there is a ſtrict Embargo laid on all Shipping, both in *England* and *Ireland*."

On Thurſday the 14th Inſtant, was found floating in *Potowmack* River, oppoſite to *Alexandria*, a dead Man——There appeared ſeveral Marks of great Violence upon him——He was Five Feet Seven or Eight Inches high; had a ſhort Noſe, and ſhort curl'd Hair, of a light Colour——He had on, a blue and white Check'd Shirt, a Pair of Purple, or dark Claret colour'd Cloth Breeches, mended in the Seat, and had a Piece put in below the right Pocket, in the Shape of a Gore, a Pair of Country-mixed Stockings, and Country-made Shoes——The Coroner's Inqueſt brought in their Verdict Murder, by a Perſon, or Perſons, unknown.

TO THE PRINTERS.

A CAUTION to TRAVELLERS.

BEING on a Tour through *Maryland* and *Virginia*, in my Way back from *Williamſburg*, I called at the Houſe of ——————, an Ordinary at *Todd's Bridge*, in *Virginia*, having dined, and called to pay, I gave to a young Man, who, by Appearance, ſeemed to act as Maſter of the Houſe, an Half Johannes to change; in Return, he gave me Five *Virginia* Bills; I think Three of them were of Ten Shillings each, and Two of Five Shillings, and the reſt, to my full Change, in Coin; at the ſame Time, Three Perſons, Travellers, ſtanding by, one of them, Mr. *Payton*, a reputable Publican, living at *Acquia*, near *Fredericksburg*, deſired to ſee the Bills; and taking them out of my Hand, carefully examining them, ſaid to the Perſon who gave them to me, " How can you thus attempt to impoſe on a Stranger; theſe Bills are every one of them Counterfeits, and ſo notoriouſly ſo, that you cannot be ignorant of it." Two other Gentlemen, who were looking on, taking the Bills into their Hands alſo, concurred with Mr. *Payton* that the Bills were counterfeit; at the ſame Time, remonſtrating with the young Man, on the Buſineſs of his Attempt, who, on his Part, ſaid little to juſtify himſelf, being viſibly conſcious of his Guilt. As my Reſidence is 800 Miles diſtant, and my Affairs not permitting me to ſtay ſo long in *Virginia*, as would be neceſſary to carry on a Proſecution, which, in Juſtice to myſelf, and the Public, I ought to do, if in my Power, and, as it is obvious to every Body, what dangerous Conſequentes might have enſued to me, had I inadvertently taken thoſe Bills, and offered them again in Payment, as I ſhould innocently have done, I having no other Bills but thoſe Counterfeits, might have induced any one to ſuſpect me the Counterfeiter, upon which Suppoſition I might, being a Stranger, little known in theſe Parts, have ſuffered the Conſequences of a ſevere Proſecution; therefore, as my Situation will not permit me to ſtay to do myſelf Juſtice, I now call on Mr. *Payton*, not only as a Witneſs, but as the moſt proper Perſon to proſecute, and expoſe to Juſtice, ſo baſe a Villainy; and, as I believe Mr. *Payton* to be a Man of Sentiment and Probity, ſo I have Reaſon to hope, for the Sake of Public Juſtice, he will not ſuffer this, ſo flagrant Abuſe, to paſs unnoticed.

THOMAS COX.

ONE HUNDRED POUNDS REWARD.

ANNAPOLIS, *April* 20, 1769.

WHEREAS it has been repreſented to his Excellency the Governor, that, on Monday Evening, the 17th of this Inſtant, *April*, the Houſe of *Alexander M'Mechan*, of *Baltimore-Town*, Merchant, was robbed of Four Bundles of Money, containing One Hundred Pounds Currency each: One Bundle of Money, containing One Hundred and Seventy-ſeven Pounds Nine Shillings Currency, and Two or Three Bundles of Papers, to the great Damage of him, the ſaid *Alexander M'Mechan*, which ſaid Money, amounting to Five Hundred and Seventy-ſeven Pounds Nine Shillings Currency, and Papers, were ſtolen from out of a Cheſt, that ſtood in a Chamber of him, the ſaid *Alexander M'Mechan*, (in which he uſually put his Money) between the Hours of Eight and Ten, in the Night, he being then from home, by ſome Perſon or Perſons, unknown.——His Excellency, for the better diſcovering and bringing to Juſtice, the Perſons who committed the ſaid Robbery, doth promiſe his Lordſhip's Pardon to any one of them, (the Principal only excepted) who ſhall diſcover his, or her Accomplice, or Accomplices, in the ſaid Fact, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be apprehended, and convicted thereof.

Signed by Order,

UR. SCOTT, Cl. Co.

AND, as a further Encouragement, the Subſcriber doth promiſe a Reward of One Hundred Pounds, to any one who ſhall make a Diſcovery of any Perſon, or Perſons, concerned in the above mentioned Robbery, ſo that he, ſhe, or they, may be brought to Juſtice, and convicted thereof.

ALEXANDER M'MECHAN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subſcriber has now a very good BLACKSMITH, well acquainted with making Ploughs, Axes, &c. He is alſo well acquainted with the Farmers Buſineſs, as he has been much employed in that Branch at home. I have alſo Two very good WHEELWRIGHTS, one of them is well acquainted with making of Kind of Carriages, Waggons, and the other has been chiefly uſed to make all Kind of Carriages, Chaiſes, &c. Thoſe Gentlemen, that will be pleaſed to favour me with their Commands, either in the Smithing or Wheelwrights Buſineſs, may depend on having their Work faithfully and well executed, and on the moſt reaſonable Terms, by (tf) MATHIAS ADAMS.

*** Any Gentlemen that will favour me with their Horſes, may have them ſhod at 2s. 9d. a Set.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF

MR. JEFFERSON

AT THE NEW THEATRE IN ANNAPOLIS,

BY THE

AMERICAN COMPANY of COMEDIANS,

On SATURDAY, the 29th,

Will be preſented a TRAGEDY, called, THE

MOURNING BRIDE.

Almeria, (the Mourning Bride) Mrs. OSBORNE

To which will be added, a FARCE, called,

A WONDER!

AN HONEST YORKSHIREMAN.

With ſeveral ENTERTAINMENTS, *as in the Bills of the Day.*

*** TICKETS to be had at Mr. *Jefferſon's*, near the Town-Gate; at Mr. *Williams's* Store, upon the Dock; at the Printing-Office; at the Bar of the Theatre; and of Mr. *Jefferſon*, at Mr. *Allen's*.

The Doors to be opened at 4, and the Play to begin at 5.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF

MR. BURDETT.

On MONDAY, the 1st of MAY,

Will be preſented, a COMEDY, called, THE

SUSPICIOUS HUSBAND.

The Part of *Ranger*, by Mrs. OSBORNE

Between the ACTS, *will be* DANCING

By Mr. GODWIN,

And, SINGING, *by Mr.* SPENCER.

After the PLAY, *a new Piece, of one* ACT, *to be* ſelected *from* THE MISTAKE, called,

THE WRANGLING LOVERS;

To which will be added, a Dramatic Satire, called,

LETTHE,

OR,

ÆSOP IN THE SHADES.

BY AUTHORITY.

At the NEW THEATRE in ANNAPOLIS,

BY THE NEW

AMERICAN COMPANY of COMEDIANS,

On Tueſday, the 2d of *May*, will be preſented,

RICHARD III.

WITH

HIGH LIFE BELOW STAIRS.

On WEDNESDAY, the 3d,

Will be preſented, a TRAGEDY, called

DOUGLAS.

Douglaſs, by Mr. VERLING.

Lady Randolph, by Mrs. OSBORNE.

To which will be added, a COMEDY of Two Acts, called,

THE MAYOR of GARRETT.

And, on THURSDAY, the 4th, the Hiſtorical PLAY of

HENRY IV.

With the HUMOURS of

Sir JOHN FALSTAFF.

The *Prince of Wales*, (by Deſire) by Mrs. OSBORNE,

Poins, (by Deſire) by Mrs. PARKER,

And, *Falſtaff*, by Mr. VERLING.

To which will be added, a Ballad Opera, called,

DAMON AND PHILLIDA.

With Entertainments of DANCING, *by Mr.* Godwin, *and Mr.* Malone.

*** TICKETS *to be had of Mr.* Verling, *at Mr.* Knapp's, *and at the Bar of the Theatre.*

☞ LOWER BOXES, 7s. 6d.——Pit, and Upper Boxes, 5s.——*To begin at Half an Hour paſt Six, preciſely.*

FOR THE BENEFIT OF

MRS. WALKER.

On SATURDAY, the 13th of MAY,

Will be preſented, the TRAGEDY of

OTHELLO,

The Part of OTHELLO, *for this Night only, will be performed by the ſame Gentleman who played it before.*

And the Part of *Deſdemona*, by Mrs. OSBORNE.

A Deſcription of Two Lots of Ground, lying in Annapolis, &c.

(6w) FRANK LEREW.

For the BENEFIT of
Mrs. MALONE.

On TUESDAY, the 9th of May,
Will be performed, a COMEDY, called
A BOLD STROKE FOR A WIFE.
Col. Feignwell, by Mr. VERLING.
Anne Lovely, by Mrs. GILBOUNE.

After the Play, several Performances on the Slack Rope, to full Swing, by Mr. Malone.

I. He lies on the Rope in full Length.
II. A Treble Vault, backwards and forwards.
III. He balances a Sword on the Edge of a Drinking-Glass, and on the Sword, a Pewter Dish, with the Sword and Dish turning round with surprising Velocity.
IV. He dances a Hornpipe, at the same Time, balances a Pyramid of Smoaking Pipes on the Edge of a Drinking-Glass.
V. He balances a Pyramid of Thirty Glasses of Jelly, in each Hand.
VI. He performs a Summerset.
VII. He stands on his Head, on a small Jack-Cord, and spins Plates in each Hand, (which he will fire, if agreeable to the Ladies.)

*** There will be also several Performances on the Tight Rope, without a Pole.

To exhibit under the middle, a celebrated Interlude, called
The FARMER's RETURN from LONDON.
Farmer, by Mr. HARPER.
Farmer's Wife, by Mrs. HARPER.
Nancy, by Mr. MALONE.

With Entertainments of SINGING and DANCING.
Tickets to be had of Mr. Malone, at Mr. Reynolds's.

Annapolis, April 19, 1769.

CARRIED away by Mistake, from the Subscriber's House, last Whitsun-Monday, or Tuesday, a Superfine blue Drab cloth-backed Great-Coat, bound round the Edges and Buttonholes, and left in Lieu of it a thick blue Drab Great Coat, of the same make with the one above discribed. The Person who made the Mistake, is desired to come for his own, and return the other. (1w) WILLIAM REYNOLDS.

By the Visitors of King William's School, in the City of Annapolis, to be SOLD, by PUBLIC VENDUE, on Saturday the 29th of April Instant, at the Coffee-House, at 4 o'Clock in the Afternoon,

A LEASE of the GROUND belonging to the said School, together with the Brick-House thereon, commonly called The Rentish-House, and also the Ground adjacent thereto, which was lately in the Occupation of *Mr. William Reynolds*, for 21 Years, and renewable for the same Term for ever. The Purchaser to build within 10 Years, from the Date of the Lease, a Brick, or Stone-House, on Part of the said Ground, Two Stories high, at the least. A Year's Rent to be paid on every Renewment, and also upon every Alienation. *Signed* per Order, JOHN DUCKETT, Register.

West-River, April 17, 1769.

STOLEN or STRAYED, from the Dwelling-Plantation of *William Hall*, in *Kilkenny*, on the Fourth Instant, a likely brown HORSE, about Fourteen Hands and an Half high, has a hanging Mane, and switch Tail, is shod before, the shoes much worn; he Paces, Trots, and Gallops, but rather heavy in each Gait. His Brand, if any, not recollected. He was bought of one *Marshall* on *Carroll's Manor*, near *Frederick-Town*, in *Frederick* County, where, I expect, he will endeavour to get, as he has more than once before attempted it.—Whoever takes up said Horse, and delivers him to *William Hall* of *Elkridge*, *Samuel Snowden* at *Patuxent Iron-Works*, or the Subscriber at *West-River*, shall receive Twenty Shillings Reward. (4w) JOHN THOMAS.

JOHN BOYD
(Having already received, and expecting, in the first London *Vessels, an additional* SUPPLY) *continues to sell, on the lowest Terms, at his Medicinal* STORE, *in* Baltimore-Town,

FRESH Drugs and Medicines, of every Kind:
Linseed Oil, and Paints of all Sorts.
All the best Quack, commonly called Patent Medicines. *Hill's, Ward's, Schmucker's, Greenough's*, &c's Nostrums. Imperial Tincture for the Tooth-Ach—infallible——And those celebrated Fever and Ague Pills, which, for the surprising Number of Cures they have performed, are called Specific.
Medicine-Chests of any Price, for Masters of Vessels, Iron-Works, Negro-Quarters, and private Families, remote from Doctors, and any Gentleman choosing to inoculate their Negroes, may have added to the Chest, Preparatory Medicines for that Purpose, put up in Doses, proper for any Age, with full and easy Directions to perform the Operation, and manage the Patient thro' every Stage of the Disorder.

April 5, 1769.

RAN away from the Subscriber living near *Piscataway*, in *Prince-George's* County, on or about the 30th Day of *January* last, a very likely Country-born Negro Man, named CHARLES, about 22 Years of Age, who formerly belonged to the late Mr. *Thomas Clarke* of this County, and was by him mostly employed as a Waiting Man, at which Business he is very ready and clever.——He is now the Property of *Amy Sprigg*, a little Daughter of the late Mr. *Gilbert Sprigg*, to whom I am appointed Guardian by the Court of this County.——[illegible] as has been with *Thomas Beall*, in the Upper Part of *Prince-George's*, and [illegible] he has either hired or sold [illegible] Days ago, by Messrs. [illegible] Weeks before, about 3 Weeks ago. [illegible] Whoever apprehends the said Negro, and will [illegible] him, so that I may get him again, shall receive Forty Shillings Currency, [illegible] (4w) WILLIAM POARD, jun.

JOHN WILLSON,
SHIP and ANCHOR-SMITH,
Late arrived from LONDON,

HEREBY informs any Gentleman, or Company of Gentlemen, engaged in the Iron Business, (as he flatters himself he is thoroughly acquainted with the same, as also of keeping a Company's Accounts) that he will be ready to treat with any Person, on the most reasonable Terms, (as his present Circumstances requires immediate Employ) who may think to engage him.——Such Persons as think fit, are desired to direct to me at the Sign of the Three Tuns, in *Annapolis*, when they shall be either waited on in Person, or answered in Writing, by their most humble Servant, JOHN WILLSON.

March 31, 1769.

To be SOLD, on *Monday the 5th Day of June, on the Premises,*

PART of a Tract of LAND, called KNAVE's DISAPPOINTMENT, adjoining to *George-Town*, on *Patuxent River*, containing about 210 Acres, on which is a good Dwelling-House, at present in the Occupation of *Mr. Cornelius Davis*: Also a Water-side Lot in the said Town, adjoining the Subscriber's. For Title and Terms, apply to STEPHEN WEST.

*** I have several valuable Tracts of Land in *Maryland* and *Virginia*, to sell, rent or lease. (w6)

George-Town, Frederick County, *April* 10, 1769.

ON Wednesday, the 30th of *May* next, will be run for, near this Town, a SUBSCRIPTION PURSE of TWENTY FIVE POUNDS CURRENCY, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, (he best Two of Three Heats, (Two Miles each Heat) If rising Four Years old, every Horse, &c. to carry Eight Stone Four Pounds, Bridle and Saddle included; Five Years Nine Stone. Six Years old, Nine Stone, Eight Pounds. Aged, Ten Stone.——One the Day following, will be run for, the *Freeholders of the Subscription Money*, and *each Day's Entrance*, free, for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, (the winning Horse the preceding Day only excepted.) Every Horse, of 14 Hands high, to carry Eight Stone, Four Pounds, Saddle and Bridle included; and to rise, or fall, according to the Rules of Racing. The Horses to be entered the preceding Day of each Race, with *Messrs. Joseph Belt, John Orme*, or *Cornelius Dorsey*. Three Horses to start for each Day's Purse, or no Race.——Those who enter for the first Day's Race, are to leave satisfactory Vouchers for his, or her Age, and to pay 25*s.* Entrance.—Those, for the Second, to pay 15*s.* Entrance.

Judges will be appointed to determine all Disputes that may arise; and, if the Weather proves very bad, they are at Liberty to put off the Race 'til next Day.

STRAY'D or STOLEN, from the Subscriber, living on *Elk-Ridge*, in *Anne-Arundel* County, the Three following Creatures, *viz.* In *April* 1768, a bright bay Horse, about 15¼ Hands high, branded on the near Buttock, H. In *June* 1768, a dark bay Horse, about 14 Hands and an Inch high, is mealy nos'd, and branded on the near Buttock E. They have both bobb'd Tails and Hog Manes. And, in *March* last, an Iron grey Horse, about 14 Hands high, branded on the off Buttock, P.——Whoever takes up said Horses, and brings them to the Subscriber, shall have Three Pounds Reward for each, and Ten Pounds for the Thief, if convicted, paid by (w3) JOSHUA DORSEY.

JUST IMPORTED,
In the Polly, *Capt.* John Kilty, *and to be sold, by Wholesale, or Retail, on the most reasonable Terms, by the Subscriber, in* Annapolis,

AN Assortment of EUROPEAN, and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to both Seasons.——He has likewise a Quantity of Jesuit's Bark, in Two and Three Pound Bottles, and a Parcel of Thread and Cotton Stockings, which he will sell at a low Advance. (6w) THOMAS HALL.

*** A considerable Difference will be made in the Prices of Goods, to those who pay ready Cash.

WHEREAS the Partnership lately subsisting between the Subscribers, is now dissolved, all Persons indebted to them, either by Bond, Note, or open Account, are desired to make immediate Payment, otherwise they may expect to be dealt with as the Law directs. PINKNEY & M'HARD.

N. B. They have Goods to the Amount of about Three Hundred and Forty Pounds Sterling, remaining on Hand, tolerably well assorted, which they will dispose of, on very reasonable Terms, for ready Cash, Bills of Exchange, or short Credit, on giving Security, if required. *P. & M'H.*

Frederick County, *April* 4, 1769.

THE Vestry of *All-Saints* Parish, having Authority to agree with Curates, to officiate in Three different Districts in the said Parish, (one of which is at present supplied) hereby give Notice, That any Clergyman of the Church of *England*, that can come well recommended, upon Application, shall be entitled to a Salary of One Hundred and Fifty Pounds Common Money, exclusive of Perquisites.—To prevent Disappointments, those who apply, are desired to correspond by Letter; to either Mr. *Thomas Beasley*, or *George Murdock*, in *Frederick-Town*, who are to notify the Receipt thereof to the Vestry.

(tf) JOSEPH WOOD, Register.

Pig-Point, March 21, 1769.

THE Subscriber intending for ENGLAND, in the Fall, desires all Persons indebted to him above Twelve Months, by Bond, Note, or open Account, to discharge their respective balances, immediately; and those that have Claims against him, are desired to bring them in, that they may be settled.——He likewise hopes those who have subscribed for FORSTER, and others, with their Customs, at *Pig-Point*, will be prepared to settle their Accounts, by the 1st of *May* next, [illegible] (tf) RALPH FORSTER.

ALL Persons who have any Claims against the Estate of the late *Dr. James Carroll*, are desired to bring them in, likewise those who have any Accounts standing with the said Estate, are desired to settle the same; such who have it not in their Power to pay off, will have Indulgence given them, on giving their Obligation, with Security, if required. Also those who have their Obligations standing, and near out of Date, are desired to renew the same immediately, otherwise I shall immediately put their Affairs into an Attorney's Hand, which will be very disagreeable to *Their humble Servant*,

(w6) RACHEL WARFIELD, Executrix.

*** All Receipts given by Mr. *James Harwood*, who will attend every Wednesday at my House, on Account of said Estate, shall be good against me. *R. W.*

Annapolis, April 19, 1769.

To be SOLD, at Public SALE, by the Subscriber, on Wednesday the 30th of May next, at the House of Mr. John Orme, in *George-Town*,

TWO over-shot GRIST-MILLS, and one SAW-MILL, situate about Five Miles from *George-Town*, and Six from *Bladensburg*; they are at all Seasons of the Year plentifully supplied with Water, from one Dam, built with Stone, and so strongly framed, as to be safe against any Freshet; one Pair of the Stones are *French* Burrs, which Works in Double Gears, with Two Bolting-Cheats, Lift-Jack, &c.——One GRIST and SAW-MILL, on Captain *Jones's* Run, about Ten Miles from *George-Town*; the Improvements are a fine Stone Dam, a Stone House 30 by 40 Feet, built of exceeding good Stone, the Floors are not laid, nor any Garners made, so that the Purchasers may suit their own Convenience in that Respect; one Waggon and Team, also one likely Negro Fellow, who has tended a Mill several Years, and understands something of the Cooper's Business, as also an Indented Servant, who has better than Two Years to serve, and understands the Fuller's Business. As I am much in want of Cash, the Terms will be made easy to the Purchasers, by

ZACHARIAH WHITE.

April 10, 1769.

TWELVE POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away on Sunday Night, the 2d Instant, from the Subscriber, living on *Fell's* Point, *Baltimore* County, the Four following Indented Servant Men, *viz.*

JOHN EVANS, an *Englishman*, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, 28 or 30 Years of Age, of a fair Complexion, pretty much pitted with the Small-Pox, and wears a light coloured Wig: Had on and took with him, an old light blue Cloth Surtout, a strip'd Linsey Under-Jacket, old Leather Breeches, Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, and Brass Buckles.

JOHN BARBER, an *Englishman*, about 5 Feet 9 or 10 Inches high, 26 or 28 Years of Age, stout made, of a dark Complexion, wears his own strait black Hair, and has a very down Look: Had on and took with him, a good Broad-Cloth Coat, Waistcoat, and Breeches, of a Claret, or rather Pompadour Colour, an old blue out-side Jacket, a white Flannel Under ditto, old Leather Breeches, Yarn Stockings, and old Shoes.——He, and *Evans*, are both Sawyers by Trade, and took with them a Whip-Saw.

HENRY WILLIAMS, an *Englishman*, by Trade a Ship-Carpenter, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, 36 Years of Age, a slim made Fellow, and wears his own short brown Hair. Had on and took with him, a mix'd grey Bearskin Surtout, an old blue Jacket, a strip'd Linsey Under ditto, Claret colour'd Cloth Breeches, Yarn Stockings, and old Shoes.

WILLIAM ADAIR, a *Scotchman*, about 5 Feet 8 or 9 Inches high, a stout lusty well made Fellow, a little mark'd with the Small-Pox, wears his own short brown curl'd Hair, of an easy and pleasant Address, and speaks much in the *Scotch* Dialect: Had on and took with him, a long light colour'd Outside Jacket, lined with red Flannel, a strip'd Linsey Under ditto, short white Cotton Trowsers, brown Cloth Breeches, Yarn Stockings, old Shoes, and Brass Buckles.

They took with them a Boat about 25 Feet Keel, with a Turpentine Coat on her Bottom, and Upper Streaks painted red, her Stern broke off short, and marked with Marking Irons on the Inside of her Stern, with the Letters B D: 'Tis likely they may change their Apparel, and forge a Pass. All Masters of Vessels are forbid harbouring or carrying them off, at their Peril.

Whoever takes up and secures said Runaways, so that their Master may get them again, shall have, if taken in the County, Twenty Shillings for each, if out of the County, Thirty Shillings, and if out of the Province, the above Reward, for all, or in Proportion for either, with reasonable Charges, including what the Law allows, paid by

GEORGE WELLS.

LONDON, *October* 13, 1768.

THIS is to give Notice to all whom it may concern, That I, FRANCIS BREREWOOD, of *St. Martin's* in the Fields, in the County of MIDDLESEX, Esquire, did, by my Letter of Attorney, bearing Date, on, or about *July* the 6th, 1765, constitute and appoint, JOHN HUNT, of *Philadelphia*, Merchant, to be my lawful Attorney, with full Powers to sue for, recover, and receive Possession of, my real Estate, called, *The Lady's Manor*, in *Baltimore* County, in *Maryland*, descended to me, as Heir at Law to the same, and all Arrears of Rents and Profits thereof; as likewise, to sue for, recover, and receive all Sums of Money, due, and owing to the personal Estate of my late Father, THOMAS BREREWOOD, senior, Esquire, and my late Son WILLIAM BREREWOOD, deceased——NOW, It is hereby certified, that I have, this Day, revoked the said Letter of Attorney, and every Article, Clause and Thing therein contained, and that the same is now utterly made void and null, which being certified before the Lord Mayor of LONDON, is recorded in the proper Office, for the Register of Deeds, in *Maryland*, and is now accordingly published, that no one, who is in any Way addressed to the, may be ignorant thereof, and that they may have no further Concern or Transaction with the said JOHN HUNT, on my Account, as I shall not allow of the same.

Witness my Hand, FRA. BREREWOOD.

March 31, 1769.

THE Ship BRISCOE, from *Liverpool*, with SALT, will be round to the Mouth of *Patuxent* Creek (Wind and Weather serving) by the 15th of *April*, in order to dispose of her SALT, at Twenty-pence Currency *per* ſingle Buſhel, and lower for any Quantity above One Hundred Buſhels.

DANIEL M'KIRDY.

N. B. Dollars will be taken at Seven Shillings and Sixpence, and other Money as it paſſes Current. Tobacco will alſo be taken in Payment.

April 6, 1769.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, on Tueſday the 3d Inſt. a Servant Man, named WILLIAM WHATELEY, has been in the Country about 13 Months, is of a dark Complexion, about 6 Feet high, ſtout limb'd, and one of his Knees ſeems as if it was double jointed, and he has been, as he ſays, a Soldier in the late War: Had on, when he went away, an old Bearſkin Jacket, and a white Kerſey double-breaſted Jacket under it, has ſhort black Hair, and was brought up a Ribbon-Weaver, but can turn his Hand to any Thing that is done upon a Plantation, and underſtands ſomething of the Sailors Buſineſs.

Whoever takes up, and ſecures ſaid Servant Man, ſhall have Three Pounds Reward, and reaſonable Charges, paid by ASAEL GITTINGS.

ANNAPOLIS RACES.

ON Tueſday the Second Day of *May* next, a SWEEPSTAKE Match, for SIXTY GUINEAS, will be run over the Race-Ground, near this City.

ON Wedneſday, will be run for, a PURSE of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS Current Money, free for any Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, the beſt of Three Heats, Four Miles each Heat: If riſing Four Years old, every Horſe, &c. to carry 8 Stone 4 Pounds, Bridle and Saddle included; Five Years old, 9 Stone, Six Years old, 9 Stone 8 Pounds; and aged, 10 Stone.

ON the Day following, to be run for, upon the ſame Conditions, the Remainder of the Subſcription-Money, and each Day's Entrance.——Every Perſon that runs a Horſe, Mare, or Gelding, for the Wedneſday's Purſe, ſhall enter the ſame with Mr. WILLIAM GREEN, on the Monday preceding the Race, with whom ſhall be left ſatisfactory Vouchers of his, or her Age; and, at the ſame Time, if a Subſcriber, he ſhall pay 50*s.* if not a Subſcriber, 5*l.* Entrance.——For the Thurſday's Purſe, every Horſe, &c. ſhall be entered on the Wedneſday preceding, and ſatisfactory Vouchers produced, of his, or her Age, and pay Entrance, if a Subſcriber, 20*s.* and all others, 40*s.*——The Time of ſtarting will be, between One and Three o'Clock in the Afternoon.——Judges will be appointed to determine all Diſputes which may ariſe; and, if the Weather proves very bad, they are at Liberty to put off the Race to the next Day.

MADE and SOLD, by GERRARD HOPKINS, for Caſh only, all Sorts of Cabinet and Chair-Work, in the beſt Manner, and genteeleſt Taſte, at his Work-Shop in *Gay*-Street, near the Upper-Bridge, *Baltimore-Town*, where all foreign Orders are received, and punctually complied with; and, as he now has a Quantity of extraordinary well-ſeaſoned Mahogany, Walnut, and Cherry-Tree, he flatters himſelf that it will be in his Power to give the Public general Satisfaction.

N. B. Any of the above Furniture may be had carved, if required. (w6)

Upper-Marlborough, March 20, 1769.

THE Subſcriber has moved to the Houſe lately kept by *John Scott*, of this Place, where he propoſes keeping TAVERN; and, as he has been at great Expence in providing for the ſame in the beſt Manner, takes this Method of informing the Public, that his Endeavours will not be wanting to oblige thoſe who favour him with their Cuſtom.

(tf) WILLIAM URQUHART.

N. B. The Subſcriber has provided a good Hoſtler, and will always keep the beſt Proviſion and Paſturage for Horſes. *W. U.*

During the ANNAPOLIS RACES, *in* May *next, will be SOLD to the BEST BIDDER,*

A GREY MARE, with Foal by OTHELLO. She was bred by *James Buchanan, of Glaſgow*, and was foaled in *April* 1762. She was got by SPOT, SPOT was got by PARTNER, out of a full Siſter to OLD STERLING, her Dam by CRAB, his Grand-Dam by *Dyer's* DIMPLE, his great Grand-Dam by WHYNOT, out of a Royal Mare.—The grey Mare's Dam was got by CARTOUCH, her Grand-Dam by OLD TRAVELLER, her great Grand-Dam by SEDBURY, her great great Grand-Dam by CHILDERS, out of a Barb Mare.

A bay FILLIE, one Year old, out of the above MARE, got by OTHELLO.

COLUMBINE, a dark grey Filly, riſing Three Years old: She was got by SELIM, and her Dam was the Duke of *Cumberland's* EBONY.

BRITANNIA, a dark grey Mare, riſing Five Years old. She was got by TRUE BRITON, and her Dam was the Duke of *Cumberland's* EBONY.

A *Virginia* Cheſnut MARE, riſing Eight Years old: She was got by DARSTER, out of a Three Quarter blooded MARE, and is now with Foal by OTHELLO.

Calvert County, *April* 5, 1769.

THE Subſcriber has for Sale, on *Patuxent* River, between Three or Four Thouſand Buſhels of INDIAN CORN. For Terms, apply to

(w3) WILLIAM ALLEN.

TO BE SOLD,

THE Plantation where the Widow BOWERS now lives, lying in *Charles* County, near the Head of SWANSON's Creek, containing about Three Hundred Acres of Land. For Title, and Terms, apply to (tf) CHARLES GRAHAME.

Annapolis, Feb. 27, 1769.

THE Subſcriber propoſes continuing the TAVERN, at the Sign of the Blue-Ball, (oppoſite to Mr. *Middleton's*) lately kept by her deceaſed Huſband, and takes this Method to acquaint her Friends, and the Public in general, that an unwearied Application ſhall not be wanting to render her Houſe and Entertainment agreeable to all ſuch as ſhall pleaſe to favour her with their Company.——She alſo takes this Opportunity to return her unfeigned Thanks to thoſe Gentlemen who have already favoured her with their Friendſhip, and humbly hopes, as it ſhall be her conſtant Study to deſerve it, for a Continuance of their Favours. MARGARET JANE M'MORDIE.

N. B. She has very good Stables, and is always well ſupplied with excellent Clover, Hay, and Oats, ſo that Gentlemen may depend on having their Horſes uſed with the greateſt Care.

Philadelphia, January 5, 1769.

WILLIAM TOD

HAS juſt imported in the laſt Veſſels from *Europe*, a large and very neat Aſſortment of SADDLERY, *viz.* Ladies Hunting Side-Saddles, with ſcarlet, green, and blue Covers, trimmed with Gold and Silver Lace, and Gold Fringes, Ditto, with Silk and Worſted Fringes, Mens Hunting Saddles, with Holſters, both plain and trimmed, with double and ſingle Rows of Gold and Silver Lace, with a great Variety of Bridles, Velvet Hunting Caps, and Silver-mounted Hunting Whips, with Thongs. All Sorts of Bits and Stirrups, both plated and poliſhed: Alſo a few of the beſt Wax Flambeaus, which he will ſell on the loweſt Terms, (for ready Money only) at his Store in *Arch-Street*, above *Fourth-Street*, near the Academy.

N. B. Said *Tod* carries on the Buſineſs of Coach-making in all its Branches, as uſual.

Baltimore-Town, February 19, 1769.

THE Subſcriber gives this public Notice, that he has finiſhed his Houſe, which he intended for the Conveniency of Inoculation: It is within Half a Mile of the Town, on a healthy Situation, with an agreeable Proſpect. He intends to begin Inoculation, the 15th of this Inſtant, and continue until the laſt of *June*. Thoſe who are pleaſed to favour him with their Cuſtom, may depend on being carefully and tenderly dealt with, by

Their humble Servant,

(3m) HENRY STEVENSON.

N. B. His Price for Inoculation, is 2*l.* 14*s.* each, 20*s. per* Week for Board, and Attendance, ſo that the whole Expence will not exceed more than Five or Six Pounds Currency, and their Sickneſs (if any) not continue more than Two, Three, or Four Days.

February 28, 1769.

FORTY-SIX DOLLARS REWARD.

RAN away, on Sunday Night the 19th Inſtant, from *Bush-Creek*, near *Frederick-Town*, in *Frederick* County, Two Convicts, one of them named JOHN THOMAS, a likely young Man, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, ruddy Complexion, dark brown, or black Hair, and curls in his Neck, has large Wriſts, and is ſtout made, he was imported laſt Spring from *Briſtol*, is a good Farmer, and is rather ſlow in his Speech: He took with him a light coloured Broad Cloth Coat and Breeches, the Breeches finer than his Coat, and his Coat mended at the Elbows, *Welſh* Cotton Jacket and Breeches, a black Grawet, a half worn Felt Hat, one Check'd, and Two Oſnabrig Shirts, a Pair of Country made Shoes, one of them has been ſplit, and mended on the Top, Country-made Yarn Stockings, black, or white and black Threads twiſted, and probably ſome other Cloaths; he belongs to *Thomas Johnſon*, Jun.——The other about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, fair Complexion, black curled Hair, about 25 Years of Age: He took with him a Country Cloth, and another *Welſh* Cotton Jacket, Two Oſnabrig Shirts, a Pair of Country Cloth Breeches, all old, a Pair of old Shoes and Stockings, and an old Hat patched with Cloth; he is remarkably talkative, and belongs to *Benjamin Sapp*.—They are ſuppoſed to have taken with them a grey Horſe, branded, I believe, T I, and a grey Mare, I believe, a natural Pacer, and broken rump'd, both uſed to the Draft. *John Thomas* will probably change his Name, and rig his Companion, as well as he can, with his ſpare Cloathing. The reſpective Maſter will give Twenty Dollars for either of the Servants apprehended and returned, or ſecured in any Jail, and Notice given, ſo that they may be had again; and Three Dollars for each of the Beaſts returned. THOMAS JOHNSON, Jun.

N. B. If the Fellows ſhould be apprehended, they will eſcape, unleſs well ſecured.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Laſt CARTHEW, *Capt.* JOHN JOHNSTON, *from* LONDON, *and to be Sold by the Subſcriber, at the Same Store* in Twelves HARWOOD, *in* Church-Street, *Annapolis*,

A WELL aſſorted CARGO of EUROPEAN and INDIA GOODS; amongſt which are a great Choice of faſhionable SILKS; ſuch as Pink and white flowered Tiſſues; blue and white ditto; Straw and Purple Luteſtring; Roſe-Branch ditto, Pink Satin; Scripp'd ditto; Straw, and green Robin'd ditto; white ditto, white Serge Denim, white Sattins; Pink-ground Brocades; white ground ditto; Pink, and white flowered Satins; Sky-blue ditto; and Sky-blue and black Damaſks.—Theſe Silks were well choſe and bought, and may be had at a low Advance. THO. HARWOOD, (tf) JOHN BRICE.

Feb. 27, 1769.

To be SOLD *by the* SUBSCRIBER, *at Mr.* ANTHONY STEWART's, *in* ANNAPOLIS,

A TRACT of LAND, lying in *Dorcheſter* County, called BROWN's FOLLY, containing 930½ Acres. It lies on the main Road that leads to the Bridge of *Black-Water*, adjoining to a Tract of Land belonging to Capt. *William Rogers*, and about 7 or 8 Miles from *Cambridge*. The Land is level, and exceedingly well timbered, with white and red Oak. The Title is indiſputable.

(tf) WILLIAM BROWN.

To be SOLD *at* PUBLIC SALE, *by Mr.* SAMUEL CHEW, *at* HERRING-BAY, MARYLAND,

DIVERS valuable TRACTS of LAND, called DUNKEIL, lying in *Baltimore* County. This Tract of Land conſiſts of FIVE HUNDRED and NINETY-NINE ACRES, and lies within a few Miles of the navigable Rivers of BUSH, and GUNPOWDER, and not far diſtant from *Baltimore-Town*. The Land is well timbered; the Soil extremely fertile, and equal to any in the Country. There are ſeveral Bottoms upon this Land, capable of valuable Meadows, and ſeveral Streams of Water. There is about 150 Acres cleared, the greateſt Part of which has not been above Two Seaſons in Cultivation, and quite freſh. The Improvements are not very conſiderable, being old; but ſome of them, at a ſmall Expence, may be made both good and ſerviceable. There is no Tract of Land in theſe Parts, ſo well adapted for a Farm.

The Title to the above Land, is indiſputable; and a General Warranty will be given to the Purchaſer. The Sale is to be on the Premiſes, on the laſt Day of *May* next. Credit will be given for Six Months, without Intereſt. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe, are referred to Mr. JOHN PACA, of *Baltimore* County, or to Mr. WILLIAM PACA, of the City of *Annapolis*, for any Information they may want.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

RAN away from the *Neabſco* Iron-Works, in *Virginia*, on, or about the 10th of *October* laſt, a Country born Negro Man Slave, named BILLIE, the Property of the Hon. *John Tayloe*, Eſq; he is about 30 Years of Age, very black, well made, Five Feet Eight Inches high, puts on a ſower Look when taxed with any Thing amiſs: he had on and took with him, when he went away, a blue Broad Cloth Coat, black Cotton Velvet Jacket, and ſundry other Sorts of Cloaths, beſides Shoes and Stockings of various Kinds: He is by Trade a Ship-Carpenter, and is ſuch a Proficient in that Buſineſs, as not only to repair, but to build all Sorts of ſmall Craft. The Day that he went off, he was accompanied by a dark Mulatto Fellow, named SCIPIO, the Property of Mr. *John M'Millian* of *Prince-William* County, in *Virginia*, of much the ſame Age and Size as himſelf. They croſſed *Patowmack-River* together, in a Schooner's Boat, to the *Maryland* Shore, where they left her, and have, from that Time kept themſelves undiſcovered. As *Billie* was ſome Time laſt Summer brought from *Carolina*, (to which Place, under the Sanction of a forged Paſs, he had travelled as a Freeman) it is more than probable that if he is not now engaged by ſome Ship-Builders to the Northward, that he will endeavour to get on board of ſome Craft, bound for *Charles-Town*, or to ſome Place in *Carolina*, where he expects to be free.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Negro, or Mulatto, and brings One, or both, to the Subſcriber, or to Mr. *John Calvert*, Manager of Col. *Tayloe's* Mill-Bank, in *Anne-Arundel* County, or will ſecure them, ſo as they may be had again, ſhall receive, for each, a Reward of Five Pounds, if taken Forty Miles from home, or the above Reward, if at a greater Diſtance from the ſaid Mr. *John Calvert*, or home.

(tf) THOMAS LAWSON.

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